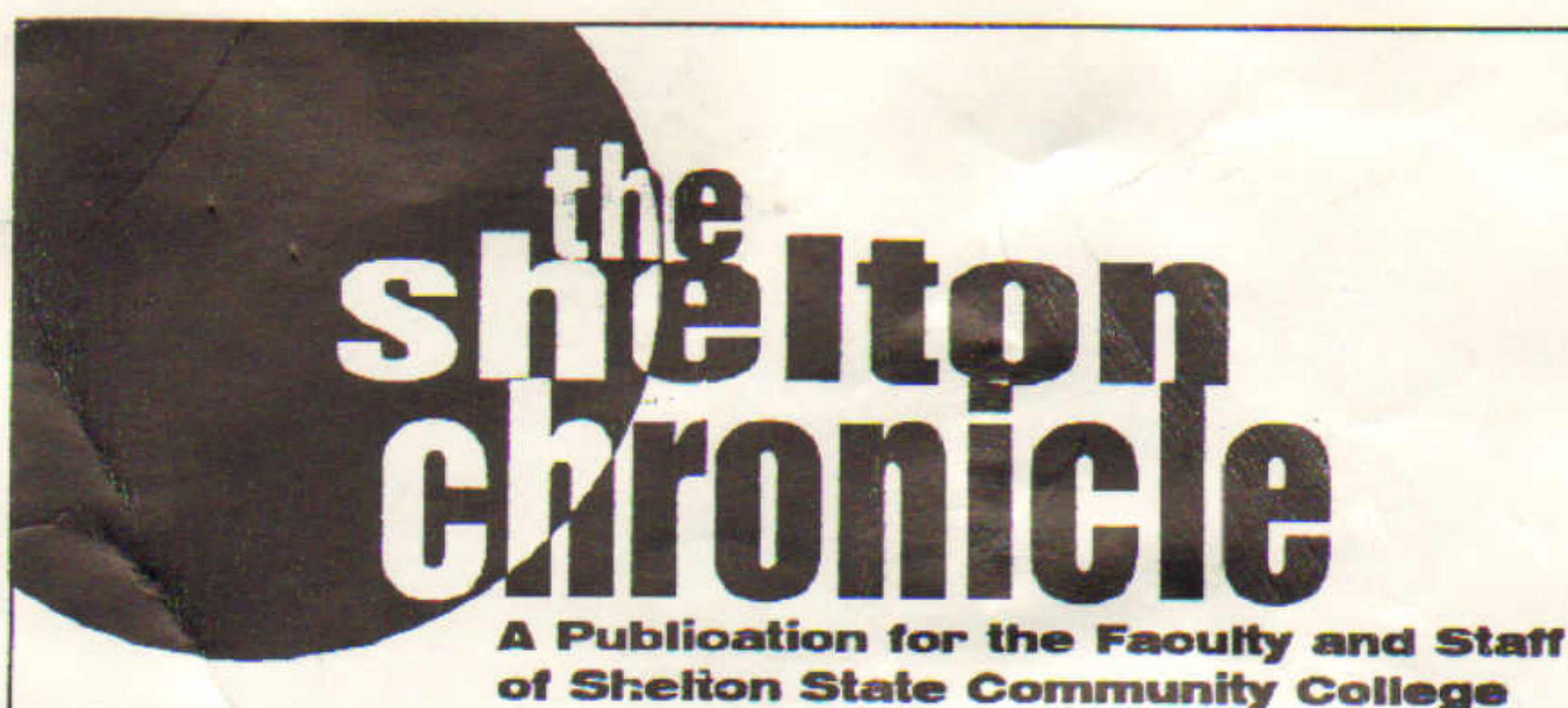


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## FROM THE PRESIDENT

### .....ANOTHER BRICK IN THE WALL

Bids were opened on November 30 for the construction of the foundation, external walls and roof of the North wing of our new campus. The North wing will house the technical programs, along with the nursing and science classrooms. Brice Construction Company received the bid which came in at approximately \$4.2 million.

Construction should begin within the next two weeks, weather permitting, with the architect returning to talk with the faculty and staff shortly after January 6. The architects will give priority for internal schematic design to programs which will move by December 1995. A committee has been formed to work with the architects to select the "external skin" of the building. Brick color, brick size and plinth size (base of the building) is being studied by the committee and a recommendation will be made to the President's office by mid-December.

Committee members include Ruby Miller,

Joyce Jolly, Don Seale, Jack Moore, Carolyn Beckman, and Shirley Johnson. If you have any suggestions or comments regarding the external skin or brick color, please contact one of the committee members.

### New Campus Construction

#### .....Local Firm Receives Bids

Construction for the new campus continues to go very well. A heavier than normal rain fall this fall has slowed site preparation; however, construction is still planned to begin in mid-December. The college has made an effort to involve local businesses and firms in the construction of the new facility. To date, six of the eight companies involved in the project are firms from Tuscaloosa County. The other two are from the Birmingham metropolitan area. The college's predicted financial impact upon the local economy is estimated to be over \$100 million annually.

The college has an optimistic goal of moving into the first phase of the new campus by December 1995. The North wing is being constructed first and will house the technical programs, nursing and science areas. The second phase of construction should begin during the fall of 1995 and be completed by May 1998.



## **THIS MONTH ON CAMPUS**

**CLASSES ARE OUT  
DECEMBER 19-22 FOR THE  
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS. THE  
COLLEGE WILL BE CLOSED  
DECEMBER 23 THROUGH  
JANUARY 1 . THE  
COLLEGE WILL OPEN  
JANUARY 3, 1995.**

### **PRESIDENT'S CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST PLANNED**

*IT'S HO HO HO TIME AGAIN!* Shelton president Tom Umphrey and his wife, Kay, will play host to all college employees for the Umphrey's annual Christmas breakfast on Friday, December 16, from 7 - 8 a.m. The breakfast will be held in the Fifteenth Street Campus cafeteria.

### **JOLLYS HOST HUMANITIES CHRISTMAS FROLIC**

Joyce and Jim Jolly will host the Humanities Division annual Christmas party on Friday, December 16, at 12:30 p.m. For additional information, contact Sharon Deck, ext. 2256.

### **REGISTRATION FOR SPRING SEMESTER**

Registration for Spring semester at Shelton State Community College will be held January 9 and 10, 1995 on the Skyland Boulevard Campus. The time of registration is 12 noon until 6 p.m.

**PLEASE NOTE: BECAUSE OF THE  
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS, THERE  
WILL NOT BE AN ISSUE OF THE  
SHELTON CHRONICLE ON  
JANUARY 1. THE NEXT ISSUE OF**

**THE CHRONICLE WILL BE  
JANUARY 15, 1995.**

## **FACES AND PLACES**

.....MERRITT REPRESENT COLLEGE  
ON INTERNATIONAL LEVEL

TERRY MERRITT, director of travel and tourism, spoke recently at the 1994 Educational Opportunities Winter Conference in Israel where he joined other travel professionals for the world leadership conference. At the conference, he addressed more than 200 travel agents.

### **KYNARD ELECTED TO REGIONAL OFFICE**

HUGH KYNARD is the secretary of the of the American Technical Education Association (ATEA). During the recent meeting of the organization that was held in Metairie, Louisiana in November, he was elected president-elect of the Mississippi River Gulf Region that includes Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, Kentucky, Arkansas, and Missouri. The theme of the meeting was "Telecommunications for the Future." Topics included: "Three Phases of Television -Today, Tomorrow, and the 21st Century;" "Creating Outstanding Teleconferences;" "Internet;" "Information Hiway Access;" "NASA;" "Turn Class Performance into High Performance and Increase Retention;" and "Preparing the Industrial Mentor."

### **NEW FACES AND ASSIGNMENTS**

CHARLES FIELDS, director of cooperative education at the college, is now reporting to RONNIE ROSE, dean of human resources and federal programs. BONNIE KING was recently hired as the